

## House Resolution No. 3300

**Whereas**, as the 2004-2005 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

**Whereas**, the Washington School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 20, 2005, with the retirement of Diane Schwab who has devoted several years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

**Whereas**, Diane Schwab has worked as a classroom teacher and reading specialist for twenty-nine years in the Washington School District, where she is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

**Whereas**, Diane Schwab has watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

**Whereas**, a member of the International Reading Association, Diane Schwab has enjoyed recognition by serving as Head of the Accelerated Reading Teachers and as an Adjunct Instructor at Central Methodist College, writing and implementing the Read to be Ready grant, and being chosen Rotary Teacher of the Year; and

**Whereas**, Diane Schwab derives a tremendous amount of spiritual fulfillment through her affiliation with St. Peters United Church of Christ; and

**Whereas**, Diane Schwab has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, William Schwab; two children, Jeffrey Schwab and Jennifer Byerly; and three grandchildren, Samuel, Rachel, and Kyle:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join the Washington School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Diane Schwab has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Diane Schwab, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Brian Nieves  
District No. 98

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3300, adopted May 12, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker